

## Copy-write Editorials.

The melancholy days have come, The days that get your goat, When frost is on the pumpkin vine, And Uncle has your overcoat.

A decision in the Sulzer case is expected to-day.

Now that the fair is over, what is the latest from Harry Thaw?

Timothy L. Woodruff, the Republican leader, died in New York Sunday.

Jefferson McCann, of Nashville, has been appointed U. S. Attorney for Hawaii.

A woman's left hand cut off at the wrist, was found floating in the river at New York Saturday.

Mr. Stanley was called back to Washington and did not get to attend the fair Saturday.

Chattanooga saloons have been closed for the first time by a vigorous enforcement of the prohibition.

In Mercer county Mr. Corn is advertising a public sale and bills will be made that somebody will have to foot.

A Vienna dispatch says a man named Haas was granted a divorce on the ground that his wife taught the parrot to call him names.

If the Louisville Progressives don't get lost in the Bush they will get swamped in the mire, for it is Bushmeyer sure for Mayor.—Elizabeth-town News.

Girls in the Chicago High School will be taught the care of infants, the classes to be instructed by a trained nurse, with real babies used in the demonstrations.

An auto containing a pre-nuptial party at Cincinnati was wrecked, killing Miss Bright Kelly, of Covington, Ky., the bride-to-be, and several others were injured.

Four out of five victories for the Philadelphia Athletics over the New York Giants, ended the World's Championship series with two of the seven games not played.

A Philadelphia fan dropped dead when Baker struck out and a New Yorker toppled over dead when Mathewson made a hit. Different kinds of excitement affected them the same way.

The House struck out of the Senate bill a \$7,000 appropriation giving the Vice President an automobile. An amendment giving Speaker Clark one was ruled out of order by the Speaker himself.

The Tennessee general assembly convened yesterday for the third time this year, called together to consider prohibition laws that have failed of enactment in the other two sessions.

Representative Henry D. Clayton, appointed Senator by Gov. O'Neal, of Alabama, has abandoned his claim to the seat, the legality of which has not been admitted, and will remain in the House, at the request of President Wilson.

The Kaiser's daughter, now the wife of the son of the old Duke of Cumberland, has joined the Duke in the demand on her father that her husband be seated on the throne of Hanover, to which he is the heir. William's idea was that Ernest would be satisfied with Victoria Louise without a throne.

The Cadiz Record in a long and carefully prepared editorial throws a great deal of light on the inside management of the Planters Protective Association and the methods by which the "ins" are holding on to the four big salaries that pay \$21,000 a year. It says a surplus of \$60,000 four years ago has gradually been consumed in salaries and that expenses annually exceed the revenues by \$12,000 to \$15,000.

## AWFUL NIGHT OF HORROR

750 Persons On Burning Ship In a Raging Wind Storm.

136 PERSONS LOST LIVES

Storm Subsidied At Daybreak and 521 Were Saved By Succoring Ships.

London, Oct. 13.—Not since the Titanic sank has Europe been so thrilled as by a wireless message to-day telling of the burning of the steamship Volturno in Mid-Atlantic, with a loss, so far as is at present known, of 136 lives and the rescue of 521. The survivors are now aboard a fleet of steamers summoned by the Volturno's call for help, some of which are bound eastward and others westward.

The Volturno sailed from Rotterdam on Oct. 2 for New York. According to the official statement she carried twenty-two first cabin passengers, 538 steerage and a crew numbering 96.

The rescue ships reached the scene of the disaster in plenty of time to save all, but for hours stood by the blazing vessel, impotent because of the storm to reach the agonized men, women and children crowding the afterpart of the ship, which was within a stone's throw.

### Great Explosion.

The hopelessness of the situation was manifested at 9 o'clock in the evening when a great explosion tore away a part of the upper works and flames burst from the engine room. It then became a matter of how long the Volturno would stay above the waters.

Meanwhile several of the terrified passengers wrapped in life buoys, dropped over into the sea. One of them was taken aboard the Carnian.

When day broke the Volturno was still afloat. The gale had moderated and the seas had calmed down. From almost every one of the encircling steamers lifeboats were sent out and into these the women and children were lowered first. Several trips were necessary before the survivors were removed to a place of safety.

### MADE A RECORD

Pennyroyal Won Place in Poultry Department of Southern Fair Ass'n.

The following placard was tacked up at the Northern entrance to the poultry display at the fair last Friday.

"This places the Pennyroyal in Southern State Fair Class Never before done by a first show."

The poultry department was a great success, so great that exhibitors from a distance were very much surprised to meet with so much competition.

### Drew His Gun.

Joe Garth, colored, who was creating a disturbance at the L. & N. station Saturday, resisted when officer Garland Jones undertook to place him under arrest and drew his pistol. Special officer McGee went to the assistance of Sergeant Jones and the negro was taken to the lockup. Garth is said to be a dangerous negro and a few years ago shot and killed another negro. The grand jury will investigate the case.

### Rally at Pembroke.

Next Saturday there will be a Democratic rally at Pembroke, and it goes without saying that it will be "a rally what is a rally."

## NEGRO SENT TO PADUCAH

Was Put Under \$300 Bond But Couldn't Make It.

HAD MAIL IN HIS POSSESSION

Warrant of Arrest Sworn Out By Postoffice Inspector Milligan.

Charles Garth, a negro of this city was before U. S. Commissioner Clark last Saturday. He had been arrested on a warrant sworn out by Post office Inspector Milligan, charged with having in his possession mail matter which had not been delivered to the consignee.

The negro claims that he found the matter and did not steal it.

It is said that the negro was riding on the mail wagon with the regular driver when that party was in transit from or to the postoffice.

When Commissioner Clark called the case Garth waived an examination and the commissioner gave him a chance to execute a \$300 bond, for his appearance before the next U. S. grand jury or go to jail. He failed to make bond and was sent to the Paducah jail pending an examination by the grand jury.

### T. A. SMITHSON DEAD.

Succumbs to Paralysis After Long Suffering.

Mr. Thomas A. Smithson died Sunday midnight of paralysis, aged about 60 years. He had been in declining health for some time and the end was not unexpected. He is survived by his widow, and the following brothers and sisters: Messrs. James A., Charles W., and Luther H. Smithson, all of this county; Mrs. W. E. Adcock, of Church Hill; Mrs. C. H. Bagby, of Lafayette; Mrs. N. L. Turner, of Guthrie, and Rev. John O. Smithson, of Vine Grove.

Mr. Smithson was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church and was a citizen who enjoyed the respect and esteem of all who knew him. His funeral services will be held from the Cumberland Presbyterian church this morning at 10:30 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Eshman, and the interment will take place in Riverside Cemetery.

### NEW LAND

As Large As Greenland Discovered By Russians.

St. Michael, Alaska, Oct. 13.—The Russian government steamers, Taimyr and Waygatch, under Commander Wilitzky, who have been engaged in arctic exploration north of Siberia for three years, have arrived here for coal. Captain Wilitzky reports the discovery of a body of land as large as Greenland, extending beyond latitude 81 north and longitude 102 east.

### Negro Shot.

Wick Mumford and another negro by the name of Poston got into a difficulty Saturday night, near Clay and Fourth streets, which resulted in Mumford shooting at Poston, the ball taking effect in one of his legs. The father of Mumford says his son shot at another negro.

### Three Attack One.

Dr. Francis Edward Forward, chief medical officer of the Holloway jail, accused by militant suffragettes of responsibility for the forcible feeding system, was horsewhipped in the street in London by three women Saturday.

## CARNEGIE LIBRARY

Building On Peace Park is Located and Staked Off.

WORK WILL SOON START

Test Suit to Be Brought To Remove Any Possible Doubts.

A meeting of the Public Library Board was held at Peace Park yesterday and after a conference with the contractor for the building and with Mayor McEacham it was decided to have a test suit brought this week in circuit court and settle any doubt of the city's right to locate the library on Peace park. The site selected and staked off, is in the southeastern corner, 25 feet from Tenth street and 30 feet from Campbell street. There have been some objections raised to the location in the park and it was deemed best by all concerned that the legal question raised be passed upon in advance.

The suit will be brought as an injunction suit by agreement one day this week, either by the Mayor or in the name of some taxpayer.

### GAMBLING MACHINES

Were Cut Out By Directors of the Fair.

The devices to relieve people of their loose change during the fair were seen on every hand, but the directors of the fair to make good their promise for a clean fair, had to cut out some of the plans arranged to get something for nothing. Half a dozen or more that could not, by any technicality, evade the law, had to "fold their tents" and quit business.

### Circuit Court.

The case against Nobe Sims, charged with assault and battery was on trial yesterday.

A little after 2 o'clock the argument in the case of the Commonwealth against Napoleon Simms for assault and battery was closed and the case given to the jury.

At 2:50 a jury was being made up to try the case of the Commonwealth against Will Thomas, colored, for killing Gilbert Hooks, colored. The killing occurred on June 25th this year on the farm of Thomas Garnett, near Pembroke. The largest crowd of the term was present, consisting mostly of colored people. The seats were all occupied and the gallery was crowded.

There is one other case docketed for immediate trial. This killing occurred during last summer. Two young negroes, John Cayce and Saint Layne, got into a difficulty, when Cayce knocked Layne in the head with a base ball bat. The lick proved fatal in a day or two.

The grand jury reconvened yesterday after a week's vacation, and will probably be in session all of this week.

### Day-Thacker.

William Day, formerly of this city but now of Little Rock, Ark., and Miss Hattie Lee Thacker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thacker, were married Saturday morning at the home of Mr. H. R. Tilford, East 13th street. Rev. J. B. Eshman officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Day have gone to Little Rock to reside.

### Crick-Grace.

Arthur Crick and Miss Eva Grace, of North Christian, were married in Clarksville Saturday.

## MRS. BLYTHE CALLED AWAY

After Months of Illness Succumbed Sunday Afternoon.

PARALYSIS CAUSED DEATH

Had Large Family Connection and Survived By Seven Children.

Mrs. Matilda R. Blythe, widow of the late John Blythe, died at her home, Cleveland Avenue and Second street, Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the 64th year of her age.

Mrs. Blythe was ill during the entire summer but had grown strong enough to walk on the porch last Thursday. Thursday night she had a stroke of paralysis and was unconscious during the whole time up to her death. She never opened her eyes until a moment before her death. Then for a second she saw the light and her eyes closed in death.

Mrs. Blythe is survived by seven children, four sons and three daughters. Walter and Lonnie, of Louisville, and Maxey and William Blythe, of this city; Mrs. Eliza Peden, Mrs. George Merritt and Mrs. Bernice Nichols, of this city. She was a sister of the late Judge A. H. Anderson, Mrs. James M. Higgins, Mrs. A. F. Witty, Mrs. A. A. Buckley, Mr. Tal. Anderson, of this city; Geo. Anderson, of Archer, Fla., and Joe Anderson, of Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Blythe was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church for nearly two score years and was kind-hearted and charitable, always ready to help in trouble or wait upon the sick.

Funeral services were held at the home yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. B. Eshman, burial in Riverside Cemetery.

### NEW DATES

Arranged For Democratic Nominees to Speak.

Kennedy, to-night, at 7 o'clock. Tuesday, Oct. 14th, 1 p. m., Red Hill.

Tuesday, Oct. 14th, 7 p. m., Barker's Mill.

Wednesday, Oct. 15th, 1 p. m., Bluff Springs.

Wednesday, Oct. 15th, 7 p. m., Dogwood.

Longview, Wednesday, Oct. 15, p. m.

Gracey, Wednesday, Oct. 15, 7 p. m.

Thursday, Oct. 16th, 1 p. m., Fairview.

Thursday, Oct. 16th, at 7 p. m., Honey Grove.

Sinking Fork, Thursday, Oct. 16, 7 p. m.

Concord, Friday, Oct. 17, 7 p. m.

Friday, Oct. 17th, 1 p. m., Perry's School House.

Friday, Oct. 17th, 7 p. m., Frog Hop.

Saturday, Oct. 18th, 1 p. m., Pembroke rally.

Saturday, Oct. 18th, 7 p. m., Casky.

### What He Saw.

Secretary C. A. Payne, Jr., of the Davies County fair, has returned from Hopkinsville, where he attended the Christian County fair on Thursday. Mr. Payne says: that there is no better fair in the state than the Christian County fair, not excepting the State Fair. He says the grounds are beautiful, and the buildings are all new; much fine stock present, and every department filled with exhibits.—Owensboro Inquirer.

Henry D. Holton, Democratic nominee for Mayor of Murray, was one of the visitors to the fair.

## FINISH OF THE FAIR

Was As Brilliant As Could Have Been Expected By Any One.

IDEAL WEATHER LASTED.

Final Awards Were Made Saturday In The Floral Hall--The Races.

The fine weather prevailed until the end of the week and the fair ended with Saturday one of the best days.

The awards in the Floral Hall displays not heretofore made are given today. There were 800 exhibits and 235 exhibitors and not an article was lost.

### Floral Hall Awards.

Miscellaneous. Best collection of Blooming Plants, T. L. Metcalfe. Best collection Palms and Ferns, W. F. Synder. Best display Geraniums, T. L. Metcalfe. Best display Begonia, T. L. Metcalfe. Best display Cut Flowers, Mrs. H. P. Sights. Best vase White Roses, T. L. Metcalfe. Best vase Red Roses, T. L. Metcalfe. Best vase Chrysanthemums, T. L. Metcalfe.

Crocheting—Crocheted Shawl, Mrs. L. E. Fowler, city. Crocheted Slippers, Miss Grace Matson, Ashtabula, Ohio. Specimens Crocheted Cotton Lace, Mrs. Pink Collins, city. Crocheted Fancy Bag, Miss Sara Woodruff, city.

Handkerchiefs. Point Lace, Miss Ethel Sights, city. Honiton Lace, Mrs. E. N. Fruit, city. Drawn work, Miss Fannie McRae, city. Embroidered, Mrs. R. H. Talbut, Lexington. Scalloped, Mrs. R. H. Talbut. Initial, Mrs. R. H. Talbut.

Plain Sewing and Domestic Manufacture, Fancy Sewing Apron, Mrs. T. E. Wyatt, city. Kitchen Apron, Miss Mary Goldthwaite, city. Lingerie Dress, Miss Jessie Kate Claxon, Louisville. Man's Shirt, machine made, Mrs. Jim Stevens, city. Braided Waist, Miss Mattie Hale, Lexington. Half dozen Buttonholes on Three Waerial, Mrs. E. U. Bland, Pembroke. Hemstitching, Miss Sadie Wilson, Lebanon. Compass Work, Miss Margaret Foard, city. Briar Stitching, Mrs. Frank Mason, city. Hand-made Tucks, Miss Sadie Wilson, Lebanon.

Oil Paintings, Head or figure from life, Mrs. H. P. Sights, city. Water Colors, Landscape from nature, Miss Louise Nourse, city. Head or figure from life, Miss Mary Goldthwaite, city. Still Life Study original, Mrs. C. E. Graves, city. Best Miniature on Ivory, Miss Mary Goldthwaite, city.

Pastel or Colored Chalk, Figure from life, Miss Mildred Payne, city. Still Life original, Miss Louise Nourse, city.

Black and White Drawing, From Life, Miss Mary Goldthwaite, city. Still Life, Miss Violet Owen, city.

China Painting, Vase, Miss Mildred Payne, city. Pitcher, Miss Mary Beasley, city. Cup and Saucer, Mrs. D. M. Pierce, city.

Crafts, Specimen hand-made furniture, Mrs. T. B. Morris, city. Specimen Raffia Work, Mrs. Gus Stevens, city. Specimen in Hammered Brass, Miss Grace Matson, Ashtabula, O. Specimen in Wood Carving, G. E. Banham, city.

Child's Needle Work, Apron, Miss Nell Huddleston, Murfreesboro, Tenn. Embroidered Handkerchief, Miss Bluebell Boyd, city. Best Six Button Holes, Miss Nell Huddleston. Embroidered Center Piece, Miss Bluebell Boyd.

Educational, Specimen Penmanship, Miss Cornelia Weeks, city. Bead Work, Mrs. Pink Collins, city. Map of Kentucky, Miss Mary Peace, city.

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County Attorney—Ira D. Smith.  
Sheriff—Jewell W. Smith.  
Assessor—W. J. McGee.  
Jailer—A. E. Mullins.  
School Supt.—L. E. Foster.  
Coroner—J. H. Rice.

#### MAGISTRATES.

District No. 2—J. M. Morris.  
" " 3—Sylvester Reese.  
" " 4—W. W. Garrott.  
" " 5—L. D. Rogers.  
" " 6—C. L. Dade.  
" " 7—J. W. Cox.  
" " 8—C. W. Lyle.

#### CONSTABLES.

District No. 2—T. S. Winfree.  
" " 5—J. F. Adcock.  
" " 7—L. W. Means.  
" " 8—C. L. Hight.

#### COUNCILMEN.

First Ward—Chas. J. Gee.  
Second Ward—S. G. Buckner.  
Third Ward—J. A. Southall.  
Fourth Ward—G. W. Carliss.  
Sixth Ward—R. M. Wooldridge.  
Seventh Ward—Bailey Russell.

#### NOT WEDDED TO THE TRUTH

Descendants of the Original Ananias  
Evidently Still Flourish in Prov-  
inces of China.

The honesty and frankness of the Chinese has often been matter for travelers' tales; but, according to Frank Wallace, author of "The Big Game of Central and Western China," it is only the inhabitants of the coast provinces who are distinguished for veracity, says the New York Post. In the course of his excursion to the Gobi desert to supply takin and other rare mammals to the British museum, he suffered much inconvenience and a few misfortunes from the inability of the natives to tell the unvarnished truth.

Two incidents he recounted have the saving grace of humor. He came once upon a region, where pheasants were plentiful, and if he had had dogs, he might have enjoyed first-rate covert shooting. When he questioned his guides as to their numbers, a certain celebrated Ananias set about recounting the details of a ride where birds were plentiful.

"Suddenly," he declared, "my horse shied. My gun was slung on my back. Both barrels went off. I looked around and there were three dead pheasants in the road!"

It was this same man who, one day when the conversation turned on celebrated travelers, saw a chance too good to be missed. Marco Polo's name had just been mentioned.

"Marco Polo," said the man in a casual manner, flicking off the end of his cigar. "Oh, yes, my old father was his guide. A nice man. He came from Russia. How old was he? Well, I never saw him myself; it was before my time. About forty-five, I should say. He had a grand horse he brought with him all the way from his own country. He gave it to my father, but the poor beast died from grief when the old man pegged out." It would seem that this was just the sort of person on whom Marco Polo, when he traveled in that part of the world, actually depended for information.

#### A Gentle and Effective Laxative

A mild, gentle and effective laxative is what people demand when suffering from constipation. Thousands swear by Dr. King's New Life Pills. Hugh T. Luman, of San Antonio, Tex., writes: "They are, beyond question, the best pills my wife and I have ever taken." They never cause pain. Price 25c, at druggists or by mail, H. E. Bucklin & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis. Advertisement.

#### Millennium Not Yet Here.

From the diary of Sackville Mo-Knutt: "The world may be growing more honest, but I notice that the 'Lost' column in the paper is still considerably longer than the 'Found' column."

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

Hope of Mississippi Planters in War  
Constantly Waged on Cotton  
Destroyers.

Lee Hamilton, a Lauderdale county farmer, has directed attention to the lowly little toad as the farmer's hope in his battle with the boll weevil, and the toad may hereafter be looked upon with more favor than ever before in his history.

Mr. Hamilton states that he found a couple of the toads busily engaged feeding at the end of a cotton room. Being curious to know what they were eating, he "operated" on them and found in one of them 70 boll weevils, in the other 100 of the insect pests. This is as many as the farmer would find in a day's hunt, and proves very conclusively, if Mr. Hamilton's story be true, that the toad is a valuable little fellow and that they should be protected by law, just as are insectivorous birds.

It has long been known that toads are valuable adjuncts to any garden or truck patch and there is at least one gardener in Jackson who catches every toad he finds and carefully deposits him in his garden. That is one of the secrets of his success and one of the reasons why he has plenty of good vegetables when his neighbors have none. This gardener declares that toads destroy thousands of insects that are injurious to his plants, and he gives them every possible protection—leaving piles of grass and trash and wide boards in out-of-the-way places for them to hide under by day.—New York Sun.

#### Eczema and Itching Cured.

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Singer's Marvelous Memory.  
It is said that Herr Stehmann learned the entire part of the "Wanderer" in "Siegfried" in six hours; and on one occasion when Herr Krauss, who was to have taken the leading role in Xaver Scharwenka's "Mataswinka," was suddenly taken ill, Stehmann, who had never before seen the part, mastered it so completely between the afternoon rehearsal and the evening performance, that in both words and music he was absolutely perfect.

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Was Really "Speaker."  
It was his power of protesting that in the first place gave the speaker of the British house of commons his name. For the early members were not great at oratory and soon realized the desirability of choosing a spokesman with a ready tongue and the courage to argue with the king. Hence came the title of "speaker," which was first given to Sir Thomas Hungerford in 1376.

The name—Doan's—inspires confidence—Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney ills. Doan's Ointment for skin itching. Doan's Regule's for a mild laxative. Sold at all drug stores.

Was Not in Speaker's Mind.  
On one occasion, when a certain legislative candidate, known as a clever speaker and very effective in dealing with a hostile audience, was addressing a meeting in his constituency, he had no sooner risen and said, "Gentlemen," than some one threw an egg at him. Quite unperturbed, he turned to the offender and said: "I was not speaking to you, sir."

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Dice Played in Greece.  
Dice are said by some to have had their origin in occult sources, but more reasonably they are ascribed to Pythagoras of Greece, B. C. 1244. Those exhumed at Thebes are identical with those used today, and the games played with them are the simplest and most widely known games of chance in the world.

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## WHAT AILS STATE OF KENTUCKY

Ascertained Facts  
About One Community

### CHANGE IN TAX LAWS NEEDED

Why Are 600,000 of Kentucky's People Living in Other States?—A True Story With a Moral—What Do You Think About These Conditions?

A traveler recently, while waiting to change cars at a little town in South-eastern Kentucky, had a conversation with an intelligent business man of the place and ascertained the following facts:

"What is your population?" he asked.  
"About two thousand."  
"What is your principal industry?"  
"We have none, unless stores count."  
"Have you no factories?"  
"None except a tombstone maker."  
"How is your population employed?"  
"Well, we have fifty-two stores, nine hotels and restaurants, two newspapers, one laundry, one photograph gallery and two banks."

"You seem to have good railroad facilities."  
"Yes, we have railroads running north, south, east and west; twenty-six passenger trains in and out every day and no end of freight trains."

"What does the surrounding country produce?"

"Coal, timber, clay, stone, corn, wheat, tobacco, fruit and vegetables."  
"What becomes of all these?"  
"They are shipped to different parts of the country."

"Has your town increased in population?"

"Not much in the past twenty-five years."

"How are your young people employed?"

"They mostly drift away and get work in the cities."

"Has it never occurred to you to start a few factories and keep them at home?"

"Yes, it has been tried, and we at one time had a commercial club, whose aim it was to get some factories here, but they couldn't seem to do anything."

"What were the obstacles?"

"Well, some people were induced to come here and found cheap land, cheap fuel, good shipping facilities, but no labor, and some of the inquisitive ones asked about taxes, etc., and nothing came of it."

"What is the trouble with your taxes?"

"Well, you see, we have the general property tax in Kentucky, and when they were shown the assessors' lists and found they had to pay taxes on about seventy-five different kinds of property, and all at the same rate, they ducked."

"Is this true about the taxes?"

"Well, it is pretty near the facts. The city and county and state and schools all have to be paid, and if a man starts a factory he has to pay on his machinery, his raw material and finished goods; his cash and accounts, and, of course, on his land and buildings, and a good many other things, including his watch and stockpin, and, if he wants to educate his children, he must pay on the books and piano and his horse and buggy and almost everything but his shirt, and the trouble is, he never knows exactly what his taxes will be. If he omits any of the seventy-five things the legislature could think of and the miscellaneous things he must think of himself, there is the revenue agent who gets a commission on anything he can find, and then there is the county equalization board, which scrutinizes his returns and adds what it likes, and then the state board at Frankfort takes a whack at it and generally raises the whole flat, and it simply keeps everybody going who has anything to be taxed."

"Why don't you change the tax laws?"

"Well, they put the law relating to revenue and taxation in the state constitution, and it takes about five years to effect a change, and it is hard to get the voters to understand the question. The last legislature passed an amendment and it will be voted on at the November (1913) election, and if it is ratified the change will be made."

"I live in Pennsylvania, and every town in that state as large as yours has a factory of some kind, and many of them several. They employ the young men and women and keep them and the money they earn at home. But here comes my train, and all I can say is, you people should wake up, and if our tax laws are oppressive, change them, and your state will blossom like the rose."

"Well, good-bye, stranger. I intend to vote for the amendment myself, and may be others will do the same. It can't be any worse than the present system, and I surely would like to see some smokestacks looming up in these parts. Farewell."

FROM REPORT OF KENTUCKY  
TAX REVISION COMMISSION,  
1910.

"So long as the state adheres to its present system of taxation fixed by constitutional provisions, it will limit upon its citizens a very serious handicap in the competition with the citizens of other states more favored in their tax laws, and must inevitably lose both desirable population and much needed capital."

Doublets, triplets, etc., are born every day. I was caught in the rain at the wrong time," writes Mrs. Edna Ruthford of Daughsville, and from that time was taken with dumb chills and fever and suffered more than I can tell. I tried everything that I thought would help, and had four different doctors, but got no relief so I began taking Cardui. Now I feel better than in many months. Cardui does one thing, and does it well. That's the secret of its 50 years of success. As a tonic there is nothing in the drug store like it. As a remedy for women's ills, it has no equal. Try it. Price \$1.

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## PICKPOCKETS

Made Several Big Hauls In The  
Crowds About the Stations.

Following is a list of persons who  
lost by pockets being picked at the  
fair:

Geo. W. Barnes, Carl,	\$75
Mr. Cook, Allegree,	80
L. J. Stewart, Gracey,	65
Marion Smith, Gracey,	14
L. C. Cravens, city,	17
C. F. Jarrett,	7
Monroe Bullard,	7
Dr. T. W. Lakey,	3
H. L. McPherson,	3
Gus Moore,	3
Total	\$254

### Marriage Licenses.

The matrimonial market was, like  
everything else, quite brisk during  
fair week. Friday and Saturday  
licenses were issued to the following  
parties:

Miss Lula Cooker and W. B. Lan-  
nier.  
Mrs. Lucy Williams and Hero  
Cash.  
Mrs. Hattie Lee Thacker and W.  
M. Day.  
Miss Beatrice Walker and Hardin  
Boyd.

### In Henderson County.

Dr. Curry, who did such efficient  
work during the six weeks' health  
campaign in this county, said Satur-  
day that he expected to spend this  
week in Henderson county. He will  
then return to Hopkinsville to ar-  
range for the future.

### \$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be  
pleased to learn that there is at least one  
disease that science has been  
able to cure in all its stages, and that is  
Cataract. Hall's Cataract Cure is the only  
positive cure now known to the medical  
fraternity. Cataract being a constitutional  
disease, requires a constitutional treat-  
ment. Hall's Cataract Cure is taken inter-  
nally, acting directly upon the blood  
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ease, and giving the patient strength by  
building up the constitution and assisting  
nature in doing its work. The proprietors  
have so much faith in its curative pow-  
ers that they offer One Hundred Dollars  
for any case that it fails to cure. Send  
for list of testimonials.  
Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by all Druggists, Etc.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## RIVER IS DRAINED

Floodgate Removed From The  
Dam At Second  
Street.

### OPEN FOR THE WINTER.

Stream Is Flushed And Repairs  
Will Be Made On The  
Banks.

The floodgates at Edgewater Park  
was removed from the dam yester-  
day morning and the river is being  
drained to flush the lower stream  
and to enable the minor repairs to  
be made on the embankments at  
Second Street. The water was flow-  
ing over the dam by reason of the  
recent rain, which caused a rise of  
about one foot in the water. The  
six feet of water above the dam will  
be out by to-night.

### A New Era.

The opening the Pennyroyal Fair  
marked the beginning of a new era  
in the history of Hopkinsville.  
Hopkinsville had the biggest crowds  
of people this week that have been  
here for twenty-five years. People  
from all the cities and towns in this  
section have been here and have learn-  
ed things that must be of great ad-  
vantage to the city in coming years.  
Just watch the old town grow in 1914.

### Louisville Won.

The Hopkinsville High School foot-  
ball team lost to the Louisville High  
School by the overwhelming score  
of 84 to 0. The boys played against  
them out-weighted the locals about  
20 pounds.

We are prepared to do all kinds of  
high grade job printing. The

### DR. ARMISTEAD

Died In Montgomery, Ala., Sun-  
day, Aged 75.

A telegram was received here yester-  
day from Mr. R. W. Kellogg, of  
Chicago, announcing the death of  
her father, Dr. J. R. Armistead, the  
veteran druggist long a resident of  
this city, who died at Montgomery,  
Ala., Sunday, where he had lived  
for several years. Besides a widow  
and daughter, he is survived by  
six sons, Thos. D., Ben R., and  
P., Eugene, Stanley, Rev. Joseph  
Victor Armistead. Two of his sons  
live in Montgomery, one in Lexing-  
ton, two in Knoxville and one in  
Cincinnati.

Dr. Armistead was a life-long  
member of the Christian church and  
was about 75 years of age.

### The October Strand Magazine.

The contributors to the October  
Strand include A. Conan Doyle, Mor-  
ley Roberts, Baroness Orczy, Lady  
Randolph Churchill, Lord Chyles-  
more, General Neville Littleton,  
Richard Marsh, W. B. Maxwell, and  
many others of lesser note. Conan  
Doyle's contribution, a curious story  
entitled "How It Happened," almost  
proves that the noted author holds  
beliefs similar to those of Sir Oliver  
Lodge. Lady Randolph Churchill—  
perhaps the most noted American  
woman who ever married into the  
British peerage writes on the subject  
of "The Most Impressive Sight I Ever  
Saw," taking as her theme the first  
jubilee of Queen Victoria. T. H.  
Oxley discourses on "Marathon Golf"  
and describes a game in which the  
hole was thirty-five miles long.  
Prof. Ward contributes one of his  
admirable nature articles. The  
stories are numerous and excellent.

### Ancient Remedy.

Nicholas Culpepper, Gentleman Stud-  
ent in Physick and Astrology, writing  
in 1695, commends as an interesting  
and valuable remedy, "the skull of a  
man that had never been buried, beaten  
to a powder and given inwardly,  
the quantity of a dram at a time in  
Betony water." Its particular efficacy  
was to be expected in palsy and fall-  
ing sickness.

### PLANS ARE APPROVED

And Work Is Ready to Begin  
On Apartment House.

The Paducah Sun says: Frank M.  
Fisher, president of the Hopkins-  
ville Apartment House company,  
has received the plans and specifica-  
tions for the handsome new, two-  
story apartment to be erected in  
Hopkinsville in the Latham block.

The plans, which were drawn by  
Architect Britton Davis, of Louis-  
ville, have been approved and bids  
for the construction of the apart-  
ment are now being received. The  
contract will be let in a few days  
and work on the apartment will be-  
gin immediately. The apartment  
will be one of the handiest in this  
end of the state and will cost \$30,  
000.

### The October Wide World Magazine.

The Wide World for October still  
bears out the correctness of the say-  
ing which declares that "Truth is  
Stranger Than Fiction." This issue  
of what is really a very remarkable  
publication contains stories and ar-  
ticles dealing with a score of differ-  
ent countries and people. Amaura  
Talbot continues his article on Witch-  
craft in West Africa and Marguerite  
Riby describes her exciting trip  
across the Congo. G. M. Dyatt  
writes of his experiences as an air-  
man in Yucatan and Capt. James  
Barracloffe tells of his "Seven-Thous-  
and-Mile Race for a gold Mine."

There is an exciting description of  
"A Battle With a Stag," and an  
equally absorbing account of a big  
steamer which ran away. In his ar-  
ticle on "Unknown Canada" James  
O. Curwood describes vast area-  
of Northern Canada absolutely un-  
known and untouched by white man,  
where all sorts of geographical and  
other wonders are to be found. The  
magazine is profusely illustrated  
with striking and unusual photo-  
graphs.

### Wanted!

An experienced saleslady. Apply  
at once at The New York Store.  
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WE THINK we have the best car of  
salt ever brought to Hopkinsville—it  
doesn't cake or get hard in the barrel.  
It has to be seen to be appreciated.

THE BEST SALT MANUFACTURED  
FOR MEAT.

## Call & "C"

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### I. Bailey Dead.

Madisonville, Ky., Oct. 13.—In-  
kerman Bailey, Sr., aged about 54,  
died at his home in this city Friday  
night at 11 o'clock of heart failure.  
Mr. Bailey was one of the best known  
coal operators of Western Kentucky,  
having been with the Reinecke Coal  
Company, of this city, for many  
years, and also other mining com-  
panies in this county. He leaves a  
wife, three sons and a daughter—  
Fred Bailey, of Louisville; Inkerman  
Bailey, of New York City; George  
Bailey, of Chicago; and Miss Agnes  
Bailey, of this city.

### Planters Protective Association

Report of sales by the Planters  
Protective Association of Kentucky  
and Tennessee (Inc.) for the week  
ending, Saturday, Oct. 4, 1913, and  
for the season to date:

Sales Places This week This season  
Clarksville, 311 Hhds. 15637 Hhds.  
Springfield, 00 Hhds. 10812 Hhds.  
Paducah, 345 Hhds. 6255 Hhds.  
Hopkinsville, 95 Hhds. 1708 Hhds.  
Total 751 Hhds. 34412 Hhds.

D. T. FOUST,  
H. CRUTCHFIELD  
Auditors.

### Sues Western Union

Sue has been filed at Louisville by  
the Louisville & Nashville Railroad  
company against the Western Union  
Telegraph company, to recover  
\$672 272 96 alleged to be due for the  
use of the railroad company's poles,  
wires and appliances from Aug. 17,  
1912 to Dec. 1, following.

Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA

### DR. BEAZLEY

Specialist  
(Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat)

### Navy Wins.

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 13.—In a  
game marked by rough playing for  
with three men who banished and  
many penalties imposed, the Navy  
defeated Georgetown University  
here Saturday 23-0. The Geor-  
town forwards were outclassed.

## TALES OF HOFFMANN

From J. Offenbach's Celebrated Opera

Sung by MARY GARDEN at Manhattan Opera House, N. Y.



Published by AMERICAN MELODY CO., New York



Tales of Hoffmann—1st part



## BOYS LIKE TO OWN THINGS

Give Your Son Possessions That He May "Keep," and He Will Treasure Them.

The average boy believes firmly in the principle of the private ownership of personal property. He would rather be the sole possessor of a broken knife than a four-bladed affair in partnership, asserts Thomas W. Lloyd in the Mother's Magazine.

In fact, the desire to own something—to possess property—is inherent in all mankind. And mothers should endeavor to foster this desire. It will not only increase the boy's happiness, but will teach him the value of acquisition, within proper limits. He should have his own playthings, his own books, his own clothes, and a place of his own in which to keep them.

A boy who is permitted to do this will take better care of things than if owned in partnership, and he will learn eagerly to have a place for his things and to keep them in their place. And this is a valuable lesson. Do not make a younger boy wear his older brother's clothing which the latter has outgrown, if it can be avoided. Of course in some families, where every cent counts, this cannot be helped. Every boy, and we speak from experience, hates to wear another's clothes. He wants his own.

Give him his own bureau drawer and at least a portion of a closet, and teach him habits of orderliness and neatness in the care of his possessions. His habits are easily learned when young, and their value to the man of business is incalculable.

## ALWAYS HAD CHANGE COMING

Escaped Inmate of Ohio Asylum Only Had to Return to Secure His Two Dollars.

The escape of Harry Kendall Thaw from Matteawan recalled the sensational escape of McNicholas from the county jail several months ago to a reporter of the Cleveland Leader.

"There was no chop suey at Matteawan, was there?" the reporter asked. So far as could be learned there was none.

Solemnly motioning Ike, the waiter, to bring another portion, he explained the mystery of his chop suey remark.

"When McNicholas escaped from the county jail he was in the hospital ward. A few minutes before he made his get-away he asked me to get him two plates of chop suey. The obliging son of Manchu demanded a deposit of two dollars. McNicholas was rich, and I paid the deposit."

"When I reached the jail with the two dollars I found that McNicholas had flown. And there were two dishes of chop suey on my hands."

"Sheriff Smith waved me away. I tried to explain that there was money due McNicholas from the Chinaman. Nothing doing; he was too busy trying to apprehend McNicholas."

"I took the chop suey and kept the two dollars. Some day when I run across McNicholas I'll buy two dishes of chop suey and pay him two dollars. Sn-h-m-d-ay."

## Big Balloons to Have Wheels.

German manufacturers of dirigible airships are seeking a landing apparatus that will insure the safety of their delicate gas bags. Many of the most serious accidents to Count Zeppelin's craft in the past were due to faulty landings.

A car of considerable length requires the most dexterousness in effecting a landing, for an uneven surface is liable to warp the structure of the gigantic balloon, causing it to burst.

Landing cars are now being provided on which the huge gas bag rests when it is drawn to earth. They are equipped with wheels and a locomotion when the craft is being towed into its hangar. It is provided with a series of cushions along the side, and has grappling arms that catch and hold the envelope of the balloon.

## Importance of Trifles.

A proofreader, agent the importance of trifles, read from his notebook the following sentences of a single letter:

"The conflict was dreadful and the enemy was repulsed with great laughter."

"When the president's wife entered the humble sitting-room of the house she was politely offered a hair."

"A man was yesterday arrested on the charge of having eaten a cabman for demanding more than his fare."

"An employ in the service of the government was accused of having stolen a small ox from the mail. The stolen property was found in his vest pocket."

"The Russian soldier, Knackinofskowsky, was found dead with a long word sticking in his throat."

## Is No Longer an Onion.

Edward D. Onion of 147 West One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, New York, got permission recently from the Supreme Court Justice Guy to change his name to Barrett, because he can't stand Onion any longer.

The petitioner said he was born in Baltimore, and that the family name was Barrett until a man named Onion offered his ancestor a considerable sum of money if he would become an Onion. Onion says that because his ancestor sold his real name he has been subjected to "continual banter, jokes, criticism, and sarcasm," causing a serious handicap to his business and employment.

## BETTER WITHOUT THE STARCH

Lingerie Waists Need Careful Treatment in the Laundry If You Want Them to Last.

Wash lingerie waists as usual, but do not starch. When dry, dip in borax water, using one tablespoonful of borax to one quart of warm water. Wring out and fold in a towel for a few hours. Then iron dry. The waists will not get mussed nearly as soon as when starched and are easier to iron. When ironing use a small iron. Sprinkle some orris powder under the ironing sheet and you will find that it will give a delicate perfume to the waists.

To have a nice, smooth starch, put a few drops of kerosene in and stir until blended with the starch. It will prevent the starch from sticking. When washing very delicate fabrics, such as mull, organdy, net, lace, etc., stiffen with gum arabic. Dissolve the gum in hot water to a consistency of mucilage and keep bottled for use. Add a tablespoon to a large cup of water.

Elaborate net waists are best cleaned as follows: Fill a two-quart fruit can with gasoline, put the waist to be cleaned in this, screw the top on well and let stand overnight. In the morning shake the can back and forth. The motion will churn the dirt from the waist. If much soiled, rinse in fresh gasoline. Hang on the line until all odor has disappeared. Shake well and press with a warm iron. Net yokes and sleeves can be very successfully dry cleaned by rubbing gently in pulverized laundry starch and then shaking the starch out.

To clean the lace yoke of a gown without ripping it out, place under the lace a clean Turkish bath towel folded to several thicknesses, then scrub the lace well. An embroidery hoop is also of assistance and protection when cleaning a yoke. Put the soiled part of the yoke in the hoop and clean.

## Tomato Salad.

With the plump, crimson "love apple" at its best, tomato salad may well grace the family board at frequent intervals. Select solid, ripe tomatoes of even size and pour over them boiling water enough to cover. Peel and put on ice. When chilled, cut off a slice from the stem end, and with a spoon handle scoop out the center of the tomato. Cut some celery fine and mix with a mayonnaise or boiled dressing, and fill the tomato, allowing it to come well over the top. Arrange nests of tender lettuce leaves on a dish, put a little mayonnaise on each and the tomato in the center of the dressing, pressing it down so that the dressing will spread out beyond the tomato.

## Planked Chicken.

For two spring chickens, which will serve four persons, a cupful of boiled rice is required, half a pound of mushrooms, one small tumbler of guava jelly and three baked bananas. Stew the mushrooms; put the chicken either in the oven or under the broiler, bone side to the hottest part of the fire. Heat the plank, put the chicken on, bone side down, dust with salt and pepper, and broil on the board under the gas for half an hour; garnish with rice; pour over the mushrooms. Place at the corners small bread patties, holding the guava jelly. Place at the side the bananas and send instantly to the table.

## Fish Chowder.

Fry out dry in the dinner pot some thin slices of pork; put in a layer of potatoes sliced in the same way; also some fish; repeat in the same order until all is in the pot, putting some pepper and salt on each layer of potatoes; split some hard biscuits, dip in water, and put them around the sides and over the top; put in water enough to come into sight. Stew until the potatoes are done, and add half a pint of milk or a teacup of sweet cream before taking up.

## Stuffed Eggs.

For six hard-boiled eggs take one cup of finely chopped cooked meat, one tablespoon melted butter, one-quarter cup of sweet cream. Season to taste. Cut the eggs in halves, carefully take out yolks and mix to a smooth paste with the melted butter. Add the meat and seasoning, mix with the cream gradually, as it may not all be needed. Stuff the eggs with this mixture, press together and roll in egg and bread crumbs. Fry in hot fat.

## Spotless Linens.

To remove a spot that is liable to be made on a clean tablecloth, fold a towel smoothly under the spot and put a bowl under it beneath the soiled part of the cloth. Pour boiling water through, a little at a time, until the stain disappears. Soak up part of the water with another towel and lay the wet piece smooth on the under towel. Cover and dry with a hot iron.

## Fish Salad.

Left-over boiled or baked fish may be used in an appetizing salad. Pick apart the larger pieces, so that the fish will be flaky. Sprinkle over it a little onion juice and chopped parsley and toss with crisp lettuce leaves in French dressing. Mayonnaise dressing will be even better for those who like it.

## Jelly Coverings.

When using paraffin for covering jellies, possibly you have been troubled by seeing the preserve work up at the side of the glass. To prevent this be sure to tip the glass lightly all around while the paraffin is hot; then all air spaces will be filled in and the trouble avoided.—Ladies Home Journal.

## WHEN HIS APPETITE FAILED

Realization of Payment to Be Made Left John Henry Without Desire for the Pheasant.

They were speaking of the wonderful days of courtship when he willingly makes a million sacrifices to appear like great wealth in the dear one's beautiful eyes. A merry chuckle on the part of Gov. Locke Craig of North Carolina, who was one of the dinner party. He said he was reminded of the case of John Henry.

John Henry, according to the governor, took the darling of his heart to a cafe where it is expensive to eat. The dear one had said she wasn't hungry, so the young lover thought he would escape with no greater blow than an ice cream ticket.

But, alas! Likewise woe! It was a pheasant that the dear one ordered, with fixings to match. All that John Henry could do was to watch her and suffer.

"Jackey, dear," she sweetly remarked, diving into the luscious bird, "you are not eating a bit of this pheasant. Won't you have some?"

"No, darling," responded John Henry. "I have had all that I want."

"All that you want, dear!" exclaimed the young woman, showing great surprise. "Why, you haven't had any!"

"Yes, I have, sweet," answered John Henry, with something akin to a fearful sigh. "The waiter just handed me the bill."

## POLISH JEW HELD IN HONOR

Warsaw Policeman Gets Remarkable Recognition From All Classes of the People.

An account of a jubilee celebration in honor of a Jewish policeman of Warsaw, Poland, is contained in the American Hebrew. The celebration was in honor of fifty years' service by Doruch Yablonsky, an ex-guardsmen.

In 1863 he was appointed constable in the Polish capital by the viceroy, Grand Duke Constantino, who took into consideration his brilliant conduct in the Crimean war, for which he was decorated with a medal. Yablonsky, who is now the only Jew on the Warsaw police force, performed the duties of a constable for 42 years, until eight years ago, when he was transferred to the clerical department.

He is now eighty-eight years old, and holds several decorations. The entire police force joined in the jubilee celebration, and Yablonsky was the object of hearty praise and congratulations. He received 100 rubles from the chief of police, a watch from his colleagues and a warm message from the regiment of guards in which he served at the siege of Sebastopol. In religion Yablonsky holds orthodox views, and he has a special permit to attend synagogue services on Saturday and festivals.

## Satisfied.

But that it would cost too much to print it, the landlady would probably include this story in her advertisement every time she needs boards.

In answer to an advertisement that was published before the story happened, she received as "paying guests" a lady and gentleman and little girl who had come down in the world.

Their descent was comparatively recent, and the lady still mourned departed grandeur. She had hopes of getting some of it back, however, and to that end she instructed the little girl to pray, on the night of their arrival at the boarding house, that God would soon give them their pretty home again.

The child opened her eyes and looked around the comfortably furnished room.

"I don't see anything the matter with this," she said.

## Pitching Pals.

Mathewson and McGinnity were great chums throughout their years of association on the New York team. Sometimes, with one of them in the box and going badly, the other would start from the bench with:

"Get out of there, Matty! You're rotten! Let me show 'em something."

The following rejoinder: "All right, Joe. Come on in. I hope they knock you full of holes." Then, tossing the ball to his pal, he would start for the clubhouse.

McGraw left the pitching problem largely to these wise old foxes. "With them working together so well, no wonder we win," was a favorite comment of his.—Popular Magazine.

## Rebuke a Purse-Proud Traveler.

Tom McNeal tells several stories about Colonel Johnson, the landlord of the City hotel in Holton. One of them is this: A somewhat dudsish traveling man came into the hotel and asked for a cigar. The colonel opened a cigar case and showed the drummer his five and ten-cent brands, but the dudsish drummer wasn't satisfied. "Don't you keep some good cigars here, such as a gentleman wants to smoke, about three for a dollar?" "Yea," said the colonel impressively, "we keep cigars here for gentlemen to smoke, but we don't keep cigars for fools."—Kansas City Star.

## Nails Were Meant to Last.

F. J. Haskins of North Adams, Mass., has a collection of hand-made nails that were taken from an old house. The nails are all made of steel and are practically as good as when first driven into the wood. They are crude in shape and size and many of them have heads on only one side of the shaft. The nails have been in the building for forty years.

## Pembroke R. F. D. No. 3.

A number from this vicinity attended the Todd county fair at Elkton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wade spent Sunday as guests of her mother, Mrs. Jane Wilkins, near Trenton.

J. B. Johnson spent Tuesday in Hopkinsville.

Mrs. Collier, of Bowling Green, is the guest of Mrs. James Bell.

The child of Mrs. Frank Hampton, who was operated on for appendicitis recently, is not doing well at this writing.

Miss Kathleen Thompson spent the week-end as a guest of Mrs. John Burrus, near Elkton.

Mr. Clay Bennett, of Utica, is the guest at Mrs. M. E. Morton's.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bell attended the fair at Hopkinsville Tuesday.

Ed Wade spent Monday in Hopkinsville.

## Sent to Owensboro.

Clarence Morris, colored, was arrested at Hays and brought here Saturday for bootlegging. When arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Clark he plead guilty and he was sent to Owensboro to remain in jail until Judge Evans opens court there.

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## Weather For the Week.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Bracing fall weather with generally fair skies is promised the greater part of the country for the coming week by the weather bureau. Precipitation will be generally light.

## Alaska Town Hit.

The same storm that devastated Nome, wiped Solomon, Alaska, off the map. It had 300 population and every building was destroyed.

**To Prevent Blood Poisoning**  
Apply at once the wonderful old reliable DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL, a surgical dressing that relieves pain and heals at the same time. Not a Haintment. 25c. 50c. \$1.00.

## FOR FALL AND WINTER

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BIG ASSORTMENT IN EVERY LINE.

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## Bethel Female College Notes.

Oct. 10.—Every one enjoyed Dr. C. M. Thompson's talk at Chapel Friday morning when he took for his subject—"Seeing Things". Dr. Thompson knows exactly what to say to the students that will be helpful and inspiring. The girls are always delighted when he visits the school.

Among the visitors at the college this past week were the following: Wm. H. Holland, Paducah; L. E. Adams, Morganfield; J. D. Green, Nebraska, Ohio; Mrs. E. C. Radford, Princeton; Miss Gertie Carneal, Mrs. C. C. Carter and Miss Helen Pendleton, Pembroke; Mrs. James Leghew, Wheatcroft; and Miss Mary Belle Radford, Princeton.

Miss Cullen and Mrs. Leghew, her sister, spent Saturday visiting friends in Nashville.

A. H. Brownell, of Russellville, spent Sunday and Monday visiting his mother.

First year English H. & C. took "exams" Thursday of this week. Professor Brownell and the foot-

ball team of Bethel College, Russellville, were given a banquet by Mr. Lee Cook, at The Tyler, Louisville, Saturday night. Mr. Cook is the well known consulting engineer.

Henry C. Gray, Jr., of Louisville, who has frequently visited at the college, returned a few weeks ago from a bicycle tour through England and has just entered Rose Polytechnic of Terre Haute, Indiana.

Many of the college girls were guests of the young ladies of the Baptist church Wednesday when the Y. W. A. held their rally.

## Another Collision.

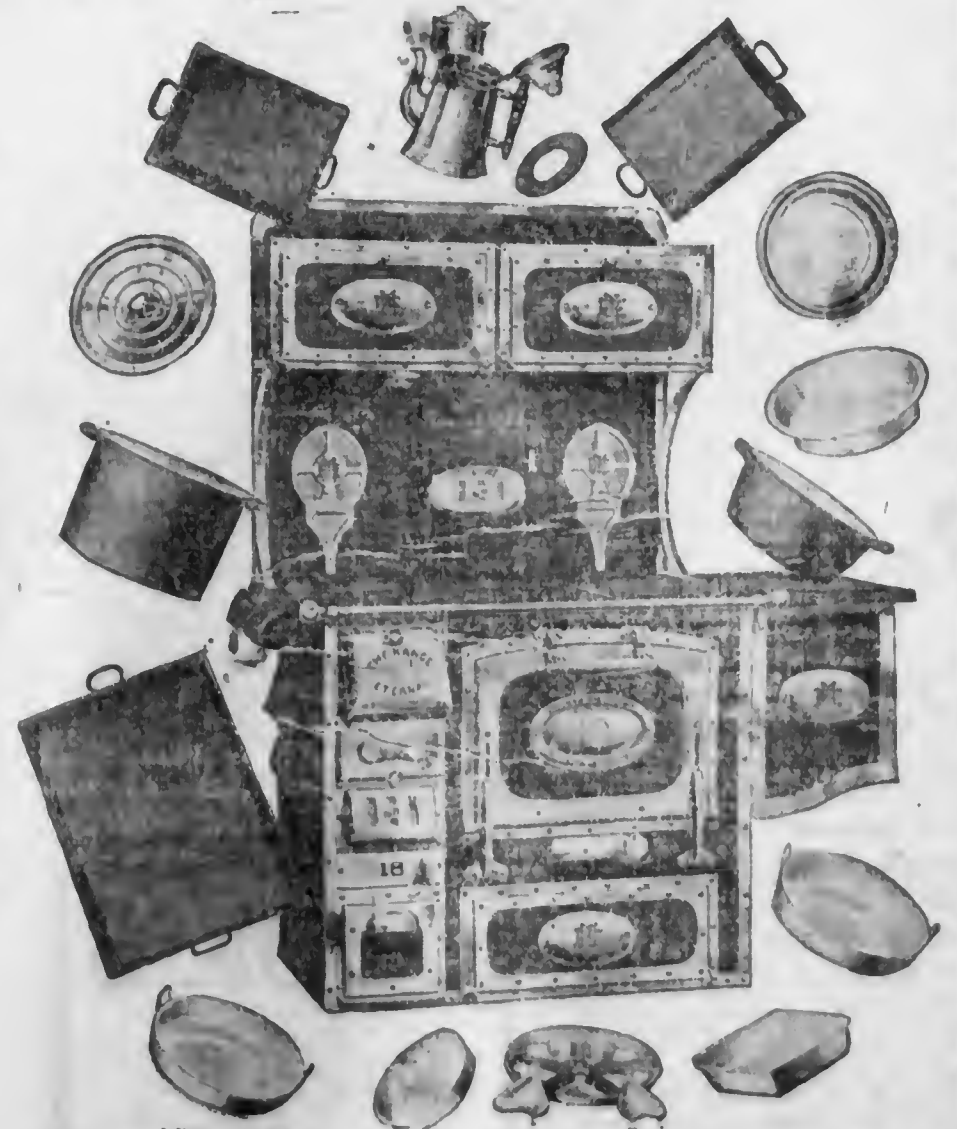
A head-on collision on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad occurred at Westfield, Conn., Friday. Ralph A. Blydenburgh, a city editor of Middletown, was killed and 15 others injured.

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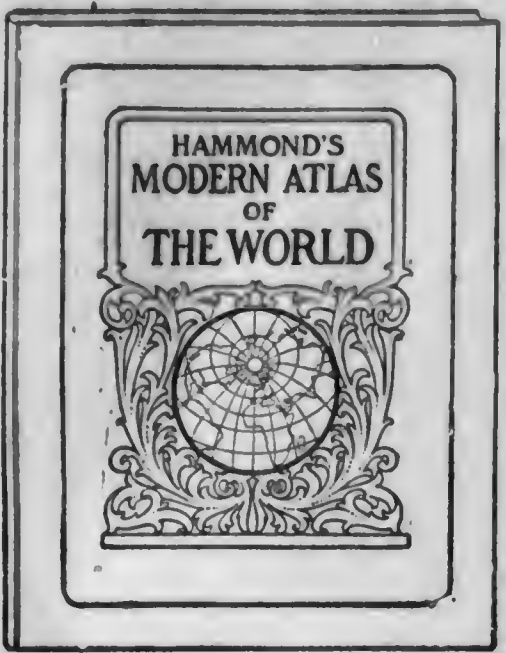
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## Discerning Thought.

Thoughts put on paper are nothing more than footprints in the sand; you see the way the man has gone, but to know what he saw on his walk you want his eyes.—Schopenhauer.

## SHOWING WARREN THE POINT

Little Lad's Effective Lesson in the Necessity for Employing Punctuation Marks.

"Oh, dear!" sighed Warren, as he came in from school one day, "I wish we didn't have to learn so much about periods and commas and semicolons and such things. I hate them!"

Mamma laid down her sewing and said, "Why do you hate them, Warren?"

"Why, it's so hard to remember when to use them, and besides I don't think they are of much use. I don't see why we couldn't write sentences without putting in any punctuation marks."

Mamma smiled and then rising from her chair she went over to the desk and got out a piece of paper and a pencil. Then she wrote: "The little turkey strutted about the yard and ate corn half an hour after his head was cut off."

"Why, mummy, how funny!" exclaimed Warren when he had read it, "how could a turkey walk around eating corn without any head?"

"He couldn't," replied mamma, "and yet I have written just what I intended to write. I have, however, left out all punctuation marks."

Then she bent down and punctuated the sentence. It then read: "The little turkey strutted about the yard and ate corn; half an hour after, his head was cut off."

"Oh, I see," cried Warren, and then there he resolved to learn all that he could about punctuation marks.—Woman's World.

## DOG TUGS AT BABY CARRIAGE

After It's Out of Water He Jumps Around Until Satisfied That It's Empty.

Edwin Main Post relates an incident which demonstrated the remarkable intelligence of one of his Airedale terriers. It will be remembered that Mayor Gaynor recently exhibited an Airedale of Mr. Post's breeding. The dog in question is Empest Captain Andrew, known as Cappie, and beloved and petted by every one, but very fond of small children.

Cappie is very fond of taking a swim in a large pond near Mr. Post's house in Babylon, L. I., and the other day went in from the north side of the pond for the first time. When about 100 yards from the shore he suddenly began to bark, paw the water and dive under. He kept this up for so long a time, refusing to obey orders to come out, that Mr. Post finally had to go out to him. The dog was found trying to pull out of the mud a baby carriage. When it was taken out on the bank, the dog made a careful inspection of it, nosing it all over, and when he evidently was satisfied there was no baby in it he shook the water off his body and led the way home.

"Some people may say this was only instinct," said Mr. Post, "but I believe that this action of my dog showed an intelligence prompted by a reasoning power."

## DISAPPOINTED.

"I shall not see that interviewer again," said the actress.

"Why not?" inquired the press agent.

"He kept talking about art and never said a word concerning my dog, my diamonds or my previous husband."—Washington Star.

## TRY TO.

"I am afraid that actors sometimes deceive us about the salaries they get."

"No," replied the keen observer. "They may think they do, but they don't."

## NATURAL RESULT.

"That was a very lame argument."

"Of course, when it hadn't a leg to stand on."

## CRUEL INSINUATION.

"Mind cures are not always successful."

"Of course not. They've got to have something to work on."

## HOW HE TRAVELS.

Footlights—Do you consider Hamm travels on the square?

Miss Su Brette—No; he's traveling on one of the circuits now.

## A LAMB.

"Why are you so sore on that eminent millionaire? He has done some good things."

"I was one of them."

## FOUND HAPPINESS IN LABOR

Sensible If Unusual Course Followed by Man Who Had Millions at His Command.

A forceful lesson in the human nature which rules us all may be gathered from the experience of the young man who, inheriting a large fortune, was wise enough to realize that no man, rich or poor, can find happiness except in work and accomplishment, says the Boston Herald.

This man, while still in college, fell heir to several millions, but tired of the futility of an existence in which there was no element of difficulty, left his home and college, obtained employment on the construction line of a railroad, rose on his own merits to be a section boss and now reports himself thoroughly happy.

His action was futile and foolish for one who might use the power of wealth for his pleasure and others' good, it may be said, but it shows that he realized the real unhappiness of those who try to be happy without the stress of work, be it self-imposed or necessary for self-support.

No men are more unhappy than those from whom circumstances have removed the pressure which requires hard work, and who have not had either the willingness or foresight to force themselves to tasks which call for their best and utmost endeavor. Often, indeed, it may seem that nothing would be pleasanter than a life of luxurious idleness, but one has only to see the victims of such living to be disabused of this delusion.

In this country the privileges and responsibilities of great inherited wealth have been but recently experienced, and the very newness of such possessions has led many to waste their lives in the futile quest of pleasure. Luckily today more and more of the sons of rich men have grown to understand that they can lead a satisfactory existence only if they live much as others do, using their wealth rather to enlarge the results of their work than to escape its toil.

## OBJECT LESSON MISSED FIRE

Uncle's Idea of Teaching His Country Nephew Caution Proved Something of a Failure.

A youth from the country was paying his first visit to New York, and, accompanied by his uncle, a leading banker, went to the theater, says the Pathfinder. While waiting in the lobby before the performance the country boy hung back his coat and with hands in his pockets displayed a heavy gold watch-chain. The uncle observed the act and resolved to teach him a lesson.

While the young man's attention was diverted the uncle slipped the watch and chain from his vest, and they entered the theater.

"What time is it?" he asked when they were seated.

The boy felt for his time-piece and found it was gone. Allowing him to make a thorough search of it, the uncle told him he had taken it and read him a sharp lecture. "You are not in the country now, you know, where you can display valuables with impunity. You should be more careful. Let this be a lesson to you."

So saying he slipped his hand into his overcoat pocket where he had put the watch. To his utter dismay he found it was gone. And when he looked to see if his own was safe he found that also had taken wings.

## Modern Surgery.

Dr. A. L. Sorel of New York, who is in London for the medical congress, gave details of a new marvel in surgery he is studying; nothing less than the grafting of new limbs to replace those lost. The victim of an amputation may have the leg of a dead man or woman fixed upon him by surgeons, who will join the nerves and veins, making the dead limb revive and begin a new life with its new owner.

Doctor Sorel has been long experimenting on animals. "I took the leg from a dead white dog," he said, "and grafted it on a yellow dog, whose leg had been removed. The yellow dog, with one white leg, now trots about thoroughly well. I have now three patients awaiting my return, to whom I hope to give new limbs taken from the bodies of persons accidentally killed."

## Little Lard Used in Austria.

On account of its high price very little lard is consumed in cooking in Austria, but a preparation commonly called "speisefet," or cooking fat, is used. It is sold under the name of "Ceres," and it is said that its principal ingredient is palm oil. This substance is prepared in the towns of Bodenbach and Aussig, in the Reichenberg district, and sells for \$13.40 per 100 pounds in large quantities or 14¢ cents per pound in small quantities in Carlsbad. It is put up in cakes weighing one-half kilo (1.1 pounds) and is sold without container. In appearance it is much like cotton-wool.

## Old Indian Fire-Producer.

Nanaimo, the Coal City of Vancouver island, has just secured some interesting Indian relics, presented to the Native Sons' post of that city by W. Chappel of Gahriola Island. Among the specimens is an admirable example of a stone axehead and what, for want of a better term, may be called a "kindler." This is a flat, circular rock with a hole in the center. There is also an oblong, lemon-shaped stone which fits in this hole. The natives used to create a spark by revolving the small stone in the hole.

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The mummies of some fifty kings  
and queens now lie side by side in  
the Cairo museum, a grim reminder  
of the unstable fabric of earthly  
glory, remarks the Dundee Adver-  
tiser. Professor Elliot Smith is not  
wholly unmindful of that earthly  
glory, nor of the violated sentiments  
involved in thus displaying and cat-  
aloguing these remnants of royal  
power. He reminds us that but for  
the museum authorities these mum-  
mies would have been destroyed by  
robbers, and as a slight return for  
the protection thus afforded he  
claims the right of a respectful sci-  
entific examination. Indeed, the ex-  
amination has already been made.  
Many of the bodies have been care-  
fully unwrapped and so we know for  
the first time that King Sagnounri,  
who reigned 2,000 B. C., was mur-  
dered, his "battered skull and  
wounded body" testifying eloquently  
to that fact. Doubtless the event  
made quite a stir in its day, but far  
off discussion, prize fights and the  
like have driven it from the modern  
memory. We know now that Me-  
nephtha, the Pharaoh of the exodus,  
erroneously supposed to have been  
drowned in the Red sea, was a cor-  
pulent man, nearly bald, with a  
fringe of white hair over the  
temples.

MEAN THING  
Mr. E. Blunt—Ah! out for a  
stroll?  
Miss Paintedup—Yes; I walk a  
mile every morning for my complexion.  
Mr. Blunt—Why don't you buy  
enough at one time to last you a  
week?



SCHOOL FOR ADULTS.  
"People's high schools," as they  
are called, have been flourishing in  
Denmark for a long time. In that  
country there are 70 such schools,  
with 8,000 pupils, and one school at  
Askov, in South Jutland, has been in  
existence since 1863. One-tenth of  
the population of Denmark, it is es-  
timated, has passed through these  
schools, which now are given small  
state subsidies, though there is no  
state interference with the institu-  
tion. The schools are not technical  
or "practical." They seek only to  
develop minds on broadly cultural  
lines. There are no examinations  
for admission or for leaving; much  
of the instruction is given by lec-  
tures, and the teacher is given wide  
latitude.  
Norway and Sweden, it may be  
added, have experimented success-  
fully with similar institutions.

EVIDENCE OF EXPERTNESS.  
"Does that young man understand  
music?"  
"I think he must," replied the  
man who always gives the benefit.  
"Whenever he plays he sounds ex-  
actly like a piano tuner."

ALL OFF.  
"What did father say when you  
asked him for my hand in mar-  
riage?"  
"Not a word."  
"He didn't?"  
"No; your mother said it all."

NQ FRAGMENTS FOR HER.  
Heck—I suppose you broke the  
news to your wife.  
Peck—I tried to, but she insisted  
on having the whole of it.

ITS SPECIALTY.  
"There is one sort of game which  
is always plentiful."  
"What is that?"  
"Trouble, when one is hunting it."

REAL THING IN SETTLEMENT.  
"What did the old man settle on  
the young couple when his daughter  
married?"  
"Himself."

Texas Woman Not Death.

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say half enough for this great medi-  
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newspapers, especially in this coun-  
try, knock at every door. Within  
24 hours after a "cure" is an-  
nounced every one who is old enough  
to read knows all about it.

There is a reasonable justification  
for the springing hope, for time and  
again in the past a miracle has ap-  
peared. Smallpox, diphtheria, ty-  
phoid and lockjaw are horrors that  
we have passed in our upward climb.  
All over the world trained men are  
bending over test tubes and gazing  
through microscopes in unremitting  
efforts to make even the smallest  
discovery. Here at last, perhaps, we  
have the sure thing that the world  
has been expecting. How can we tell  
till we try it?—Youth's Companion.

SHE SAW THEM



"I suppose you enjoyed your trip  
abroad?"  
"Oh, yes, immensely."  
"And did you see the aqueducts in  
Rome?"  
"Yes; and how I did enjoy see-  
ing them swim."  
"Seeing what swim?"  
"Why, the aqua ducks."

WASTING TIME.

Enraptured, they gazed, hand-in-  
hand, upon the beautiful scene  
stretched before them in the setting  
sun. 'Twas the lake district, and  
they but three days upon their hon-  
eymoon.

"Dearest," he said, gazing at her  
fondly, "isn't this heavenly?"  
"Yes, Reginald," she softly mur-  
mured.

"Do you know," he whispered ar-  
dently, "to me life does not seem  
long enough for our happiness. Just  
think, even if we are fortunate,  
our married life can hardly last  
longer than fifty years."

"Is that all?" she queried won-  
deringly, edging nearer.

"Yes, that's so," a touch of sad-  
ness in his voice. "Only fifty years  
in which to love each other."

"Then kiss me quick, Reginald,"  
she exclaimed, "we're wasting time!"

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Hazard Perry's Victory Belongs  
to That State.

The celebration of Perry's victory on  
Lake Erie recalls that the northwest  
was not only settled very largely by  
emigration from the New England  
states, but that those great and pop-  
ulous states were very probably saved  
to the union in the second war with  
England by the enterprise and valor  
of New England sailors, the Boston  
Herald observes.

Oliver Hazard Perry, then a com-  
mander in the navy and much discon-  
tented because the duties assigned  
to him offered no opportunity for pro-  
ving his mettle, was a Rhode Islander  
in charge of a fleet of gunboats guard-  
ing Narragansett bay in the winter of  
1912-13. Possessed, he said, "by an  
ardent desire to meet the enemies  
of his country," he applied for service  
on the lakes. On the very day that  
the order came for his transfer to  
Lake Erie he sent forward fifty men,  
the second day he sent fifty more, an-  
other party started on the long jour-  
ney the following day, and Perry him-  
self started on February 22, taking  
with him the boy of his famous paint-  
ing, his brother, aged twelve years.  
The wilderness trip was a hard and  
tedious one, and the lake was reached  
on March 27. All the men who had  
been under his orders in Rhode Is-  
land had volunteered for the service,  
so attached to him were they.

There is good reason to consider the  
operations that followed on Lake Erie  
as part of the history of Rhode Is-  
land. The interruption of commerce  
by the war had thrown many captains,  
mates and seamen out of employment,  
and many of them had taken service  
with Perry on the Narragansett  
flotilla. Thus it came about that  
Rhode Island had in the battle of  
Lake Erie not only Perry himself, but  
four of the nine commanders, a ma-  
jority of the sailing masters and  
mates, a large number of the remain-  
ing officers and a great many of the  
sailors, besides the men who superin-  
tended the rigging and arming of the  
fleet.

The centenary celebration, there-  
fore, is a tribute to the prowess of a  
New England state. It was said years  
ago by a historian that there never  
was an expedition of importance to  
the country which was made up so  
largely of officers and men from a  
single state.

DISEASES CURED BY RESTING

For Active Tuberculosis Especially,  
Repose in Bed Is Most Powerful  
Remedial Agent.

An eminent English scientist de-  
clares that in both the plant and an-  
imal kingdoms rest is essential to  
growth. In infancy development is in  
its highest state of activity, and the  
healthy infant passes the greatest  
portion of its life in a state of rest  
and sleep.

Repair is but the repetition of growth  
and for it rest is just as necessary as  
an injury to limbs when rest is ob-  
tained by splints, bandages, etc. In  
the case of the heart and lungs rest  
can be got only by resting the whole  
body in the recumbent position. Rest  
in bed is the most powerful curative  
agent in the treatment of active tu-  
berculosis.

One or two months in bed, he says  
are necessary in the beginning of  
treatment of all cases. If the disease  
is very active the patient should be  
fed by a nurse and treated as in ty-  
phoid fever. Bed treatment should  
be continued until the temperature  
and pulse have both been normal for  
some time and the weight is nearly  
normal. The rest treatment of tuber-  
culosis has been attended with pleas-  
ing results.

Thick.  
Attorney General McReynolds said  
of an unwise charity:

"Such a charity, sustaining the shift-  
less at the expense of the thrifty, re-  
minds me of Farmer Brown's hired  
man, John."

"John's a good feller," said Farmer  
Brown, "but a bit thick—a bit thick."  
"I'll tell you what John's like. I  
sent him out one morning to thin out  
the onion patch—it was a fine patch,  
but overcrowded. He worked a day  
or two on the job, and then I went to  
see what he'd been doing."

"Well, sir, I found that he'd pulled  
out all the biggest onions and heaved  
them away, leaving only the smallest,  
meanest plants in each row. I asked  
him what in tarnation he meant by  
such work, and he said he wanted to  
give the little fellows a chance—the big  
ones had crowded them out and they  
couldn't grow."

"Yes, John's a bit thick—a bit  
thick."

Of Bar Room Nationality.

Alderman John Koerner is rapidly  
coming forth as the real wit in the  
city hall, as those who have attend-  
ed common council meetings will tes-  
tify. During a discussion the other  
day, one of the aldermen demanded  
the nationality of one of the city of-  
ficials.

"On his mother's side, the family  
is Scotch, so I suppose he's half  
Scotch," began Alderman E. A. Wit-  
tig. "As for the other half—"  
"Seltzer, I suppose," finished up Al-  
derman Koerner.—Milwaukee Wiscon-  
sin.

Quite the Contrary.

"Well, did Bibbles enjoy his fishing  
trip?"

"Yes. He says he had a corking  
good time."

"Umph! I know Bibbles. He means  
he had an uncorking good time."

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Saturday's Races.

Free-for-all trot, J. E. Gregory's "Helen J."  
2:15 Pace, J. W. Anderson's "W. S. Webber."  
Running race, J. J. Davis' "Blacksmith."

MORNING RINGS.

Ring No. 1. American Saddle Horses. Stallion in service.  
First, J. W. Riley  
Ring No. 2. American Saddle Horses. Brood Mare.  
First, B. P. Eubanks.  
Ring No. 3. Five-gaited Saddle Horses. Mare under one year old.  
First, J. W. Riley.  
Ring No. 7. Special by C. R. Clark. Mare over one year old and under two.  
First, P. W. Ray and Son  
Second, S. A. Reeves  
Ring No. 5. Five-Gaited Horses. Mare two years old and under three.  
First, Alexander Bros  
Second, C. C. Brewer.  
Ring No. 6. Roadsters, Stallions, four years old and over.  
First, J. S. Ray.  
Second, Alexander Bros.  
Ring No. 7. Special by C. R. Clark & Co., handsomest turnout, horses, equipment and occupants to count, \$5.00 Cut Glass Vase.  
First, C. C. Brewer.  
Only a band concert was given Saturday night, admission being free to the grounds.

NO DOUBT ABOUT HIS CLASS

According to Kansas City Paper, Harry Kemp Had No Difficulty Proving He Was a Tramp Poet.

A New York letter the other week mentioned that lots of folks thought at the time that Harry Kemp was being three-sheated through this land as "the tramp poet" that he was just a poet. But they were wrong. Mr. Kemp is a hobo of purest ray serene. It is a pleasure to certificate him.  
"I live," said Mr. Kemp to an editor the other day, "in a shack on the Palisades. I came into town today to sell a poem. This is Friday, and I do not want to go back to the shack before Monday afternoon."  
The editor took the poem and read it very carefully and then looked at Kemp's clothes—which were comparatively whole in several places—and then showed that he had a good business mind.  
"I'll give you," said the editor, "\$3 for this poem."  
The editor thought that Kemp would ask for more and that he could do a bit of pleasant haggling. But he was disappointed.  
"I'll take it," said the tramp poet. "Three dollars is all I'll need for three days in New York."—Kansas City Star.

MANY ARRESTS.

Chief Roper and His Men Were Busy Fair Week.

With attendance running from 8,000 to 15,000 during the five days of the fair only 75 or 80 arrests were made for the week. It is gratifying to report that all of the arrests were for minor offences. Saturday the line-up in the police court was 23. Monday morning there were 16 before Judge Wood. Some paid their fines and others are working there fines out in the streets.

Key Touched by Wilson.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The momentary touch of a key by the President of the United States Friday sent a flash of electricity through a continuous telegraph and cable connection of 4,000 miles, setting off a gigantic blast of dynamite which exploded the Gamboa dike, the last of the great physical barriers to water communication in the Panama canal. It was an extraordinary feat of telegraphy, especially planned for the occasion. At precisely 2 o'clock Friday afternoon President Wilson, simply closing a telegraph key at the White House, sent the current over land and under sea, and just a few seconds later came the message informing him that the explosion had been successful.

Columbus Day.

Yesterday was the new national holiday, "Columbus Day," and the banks were closed. The next holiday will be Thanksgiving Day.

Daily Thought.

The great thing in the world is not so much to seek happiness as to earn peace and self-respect.—Huxley.

Men Who Must Be Treated as Men Are Just as Foolish as the Women.

"It certainly does make me weary, all these innuendoes in the funny papers about the women. One would think by some of the supposedly facetious jokes that we girls didn't have enough intelligence to keep out of the home for the feeble minded," remarked Hilda Nutt to her sister, Ima, as she pointed to an illustration in the evening paper.

"Now here, for instance, is a re-hashed story about a bridegroom carrying a basket, approaching a narrow creek. He turns to his simple minded bride—I judge she must have been simple or she never would have married him—and he offers to carry her across the stream. This egotistical male jokester has the bride make the inane reply: 'But you can't carry both me and the lunch basket. We would be too heavy. You carry me and I will carry the lunch basket.'"

"As a matter of fact that foolish chestnut was first recorded about an old man with a basket of eggs and a commendably humane heart, who, as he boarded the street car, observed that the arched necks and cruelly docked tails of the two decrepit horses in front, bespoke a sadly contrasting prosperity in their remote youth. The old man's tender heart was touched at the pitiful sight, and as he took his seat in the car he gently lifted the basket of eggs out the window and held them there all the way of his journey to make the burden lighter for the poor horses. So you see, Ima," she added with an emphatic nod of her head, "the men are every bit as foolish as the women, if not more so."

SETTLED THE JUDGE'S DOUBTS

Naive Statement of Convicted Murderer Removed All Question as to His Guilt.

When Judge Stewart of Vermont presided at the trial of a negro charged with murder of another of his race he admitted afterward to friends that he had serious doubts of the prisoner's guilt until he began to pronounce sentence.

The negro had pleaded not guilty and repeatedly, on being questioned, had asserted with much emphasis, "I didn't do it!" The evidence was not convincing, and the judge was surprised when the jury brought in a verdict of guilty. His doubts vanished, when, after reminding the negro that he had been tried by a jury of 12 men, etc., he said: "It is my duty to warn you that your days on earth are numbered, and it behooves you to avail yourself of the little remnant of time allotted to you to make peace with God."

Just there the negro broke in with the exclamation, "Ah done dat already, judge, hefo' Ah went out ter kill dat niggah!"

Many Old People in Berlin.

According to statistics just published Berlin appears to be an extraordinarily healthful place for the aged, who live there in remarkably large numbers. A feature of the figures is the much greater number of old women in proportion to old men, and with every decade above seventy the proportion increases astonishingly. In Berlin the number of men between seventy and eighty is 12,898, while the number of women is 25,204. For Greater Berlin the figures are 20,049 and 37,520 respectively. Of persons between eighty and ninety women are in an enormous majority. For Berlin the figures are 2,036 men and 5,371 women and for Greater Berlin 3,169 men and 7,510 women. Berlin has a large number of nonagenarians, and of these three out of every four are women. In Greater Berlin there are 364 women who have passed their ninetieth birthday, but only 111 men.

Moving Picture Animals.

A jungle of several acres, inhabited by wild animals of all countries, many of which are already well trained for the parts they are to play as motion picture actors, is maintained near Los Angeles by one of the big American film-producing companies. It is intended to extend the acreage and accommodations until the motion picture jungle will form the largest single collection of wild animals in the world, and within it will be, and now are, enacted many stirring scenes. A big elephant named "Toddles" is, for instance, the star performer in a film catalogued as "Lost in the Jungle," in which Toddles, during his wanderings in the forest, finds the heroine lying exhausted on the ground, and, kneeling, lifts her to his back and gallantly carries her to safety. All the animals are as conscientiously trained to do acts for the motion picture camera as are the trained animals of a circus.

Unpretentious Royal Abode.

King Charles of Roumania has seen many changes, largely effected by himself, in his Balkan kingdom since he arrived there in 1866 after an adventurous journey in disguise from Germany. Notable among them are the changes in his capital and in his own palace. When he made his triumphal entry as the country's new prince the carriage reached a house before which a guard of honor was stationed. "What house is that?" he asked. "That is the palace," replied General Goteski. The prince, thinking he had misunderstood him, said: "Where is the palace?" And the general was so embarrassed that he could only point silently to the one-storied building. The principal feature of the view from the windows on one side was a gypsy encampment, with swine wallowing in the main road before the palace!

Those of Us Who Suffered on the Dog Days May Find a Little Consolation Here.

For those of us who are forced to spend most of our summers in cities there are a few consoling thoughts, remarks a writer in the Atlantic Monthly. One is that the severest heat does not prompt men to crime, as the social statisticians have found that the severest cold does. Another is that the worst temperature we are called upon to face falls a long way short of the endurance limit of the human body and brain, as proved by French experiments at the 250 degree level. Another comes from the discovery through the newspapers, with every prolonged hot wave, that we are "breaking the record" in some line or other. This ought to be a stimulus to our pride, and if we wish to carry further the beneficent influence of mental suggestion, all we need to do is to compare what is happening to us with what has happened to various other people at various other times. For instance, when the encyclopedias tell us that in A. D. 627 the heat in France and Germany dried the water sources and a multitude of people died of thirst; that in the battle of Bala, in 1260, more soldiers were killed by the sun than by the weapons of the foe; that in 1303 three great rivers of western Europe went dry, and that in Odessa, in 1889, the noon temperature reached 144 degrees and a sunshade was necessary at five in the morning, we are bound to conclude that we are not so badly off, after all.

PRESENT LIMIT OF WIRELESS

Depends Largely on Existing Weather Conditions, but Possibilities Are Apparently Unknown.

According to Prof. J. A. Fleming, several of the most powerful wireless stations are now generating ether waves having a length from crest to crest of about four miles, and these disturbances can be "detected" at distances up to 6,000 miles from their source—that is, four such stations would suffice to "girdle" the earth. Obviously, however, the ability to "detect" the signals over this vast distance, presumably under favorable weather conditions, is a very different thing from the power to maintain commercial communication along the route. As yet the wireless service available to the public covers but a third, or at most half, this distance.

There is as yet no means of determining the practical limit of wireless communication. Improvements in apparatus, perhaps even some new discovery as to methods of stirring up the ether, may revolutionize the art and upset all present standards. But at present even the most successful systems get into serious difficulties when called upon to maintain constant communication over a line 2,000 miles in length. A recent British wireless commission was able to secure but one demonstration on a line 1,000 miles long, although several companies declared their ability much to exceed this distance in a commercial installation.—New York Evening Post.

War Declared on Materialism.

To combat the materialism of the present age in earnest a society has just been founded by Edmond Rostand, Maeterlinck and Camille Flammarion and is receiving the enthusiastic support of the thinking public.

A large number of members have already enrolled themselves among the committeemen being some of the leading figures in French thought. The founders are calling upon all who are willing to fight for the higher ideals of art, literature and science in the face of the decadence now threatening French taste to join their ranks. Several branches, it is announced, are being formed in the provinces and abroad.

Another Tribute to the Horse.

When it was first said last April that horseracing was to be resumed in the state of New York, Col. Franklin P. Morgan, who loves sport of any sort, expressed his gratification at the news.

"Horseracing," he said enthusiastically, "is a great and glorious thing. It warms the heart, thrills the brain and puts money into circulation."  
"Yes, yes," chimed in the group who was listening to him.  
"The only trouble is," added the colonel dryly, "that in the matter of horseracing all of the horse sense is on the track, and none of it in the betting ring."—Popular Magazine.

Remarkable Alpine Road.

The water gallery of the Simplon road, says Professor McKilloh in Good Roads, is one of the interesting features of that international highway built by Napoleon I. It is an arched structure over the roadway, constructed so that a stream passes over the roadway instead of underneath, while openings in the masonry give ventilation to the gallery. Though the railway tunnel now carries most of the through traffic, more than ten thousand persons annually cross the Alps by this road.

Lights of London.

London will be one of the best lighted cities in the world when the installation of a new system of centrally suspended lamps using high pressure gas with inverted burners has been completed. Although the amount of illumination will be increased by 8,000 candle power, it is estimated that a saving of about \$34,000 a year will be made over the old system.

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Miss Helen Swift, of Corbandale, Tenn., who spent several days with Mrs. B. W. Harlow, returned home yesterday.

W. A. Kinsolving, of Washington, D. C., and E. L. Kinsolving, of Birmingham, Ala., are visiting their brother, Mr. O. C. Kinsolving.

Mrs. A. B. Anderson, of Nashville, came over to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Gary. Mrs. Sam Clark and Mrs. W. A. Timmons, of Nashville, were guests of Mrs. Gary.

Miss Lucy Moore, who spent a great part of the summer with Mrs.

Thos. S. Winfree, returned to Owensboro Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Stoker returned Sunday to her home in Mayfield, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Torian.

Mrs. Nannie Trice will leave tomorrow for an extended visit to relatives in Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kennedy, Miss Juliet Kennedy and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shaw, of Paducah, came up to attend the funeral of Mrs. Samuel P. Elgin Sunday.

Mrs. John P. Bell has taken rooms with Mrs. J. O. Ferrell and will move from Mrs. Lou R. West's home on East Sixteenth Street tomorrow.

Sale Of Stock And Machinery.

Having sold my farm I will have a sale of live stock and machinery on said farm, near Howell, Ky., on Thursday, Oct. 16. Terms made known on day of sale.

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Cash-Williams.

Hero Cash and Mrs. Lucy Williams were married here Saturday morning by Judge Knight.

Lanier-Cooper.

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